

YOUNG ITALIAN STRUCK BY CAR.

Salvatore Marsola Probably Fatally Injured Early Last Evening.

TAKEN TO THE HOSPITAL.

Victim's Skull Was Fractured and Piece of Bone Was Driven Into the Brain.

Young Marsola died at the L. D. S. hospital at 6 o'clock this morning.

Salvatore Marsola, a young Italian about 18 years of age, was perhaps fatally injured by being run over by a street car in the western part of the city last night. The accident happened about 9 o'clock, while Marsola, with his older brother Joseph, was riding to water a horse belonging to their employer, Antonio Ferro, a grocer doing business at 238 west Second South street. Both boys were on the horse, which became frightened and bolted in front of the street car, No. 90, in charge of Conductor W. P. Murphy and Motorman David Gibson. The car had just turned the corner when the motorman saw the animal upon the track, not realising that the power was instantly reversed, but not in time to avert the accident. The elder of the two brothers had jumped from the horse when he saw the imminent danger, but the other was thrown from the animal's back, falling under the front wheels of the car. When finally he was extricated, it was found that he was in a most serious condition. The patrol wagon was summoned, and the call was hastily responded to. Chief of Police Sheets and Judge C. B. Diehl accompanying the driver to the scene of the accident. Young Marsola was at once removed to the L. D. S. hospital, where Dr. Joseph Richards made an examination of the injuries. It was found that the victim's skull had been fractured, a piece of bone having been driven into the brain. The right leg was badly crushed above the knee, and it is feared that amputation of the member will be necessary. In addition, the boy received numerous cuts and bruises, and grave doubts are entertained of his recovery. The shock to the nervous system added materially to the severe internal and external injuries. A blame can be attached to the street car men for the unfortunate occurrence. The motorman did all in his power to prevent the accident, and when he learned that a human body was beneath his car he immediately stopped. Edward M. Ashton, who was on the car, was a witness of the occurrence, and he says that the railroad company was entirely blameless in the matter. The car was going at a rate of speed, and having just passed the corner, it was impossible for the man on the front of the car to see the danger in the darkness, until it was too late to apply the brakes before the boy was struck.

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RICHARD MATTHEWS DEAD.

Pioneer Stereotyper and Pressman Passed Away This Morning.

Richard Matthews, 172 west North Temple street, for many years a member of the Seventeenth ward, and who, for the past three years and nine months, has been bedfast, suffering from a complication of diseases, died at 7:30 a. m. this morning. Mr. Matthews' health had been failing for a number of years. Prior to his last illness he was confined to his bed for a period of seven months. He recovered from that, however, and was able to come up town. His recovery was then for his ultimate recovery, but he was again seized with an attack of the old complaint and took to his bed, which he never left again except when carried by his sons, who attended him during a greater part of his illness. Mr. Matthews was born in Nottingham, England, and came to Utah in 1851. He was a pioneer stereotyper and a pressman. For nearly forty years he worked for the Deseret News, and was foreman of the pressroom.

In the early days he took part in theatrical productions, and was closely associated with Phil Margetts, John S. Lindsay and other veterans of the stage. He left the employ of the "News" about 11 years ago, and it is since that time that his health began to fail. He was a man of considerable ability in all that he undertook, and was faithful to the obligations placed upon him. His wife died about fifteen years ago, but he leaves four children. They are Richard W. C. Matthews, Mrs. Emma Peck and Mrs. Mary Farnsworth.

A PLEASANT CELEBRATION.

Pres. Smith Speaks at Sixty-Fourth Anniversary of Relief Societies.

In the Eighteenth ward hall last evening the sixty-fourth anniversary of the organization of the Relief societies of the Church by the Prophet Joseph Smith was pleasantly celebrated, though the real date of the anniversary is today, the 17th.

Among those who attended was President Joseph F. Smith, and during the real purpose of the great relief organizations throughout the Church, laying special stress on the fact that in giving aid it was even more necessary to keep in sight the need of spiritual comfort than that of the body only. He also urged the young women of the community to enroll themselves in the Relief

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societies and regretted the tendency of the young ladies to limit their endeavors to the Improvement associations, Sunday schools, and the Primaries. The Relief societies, he said, were the most important of all the ladies' organizations in the Church, and they should guide, control and influence all the others. Later in the evening President Smith was presented to quite a number of the younger matrons of the ward, who are active workers in the Relief society, and he expressed himself as both surprised and gratified at the fact. Bishop Whitney was master of ceremonies, and also made a brief address, congratulating the Relief society of the ward on its work during the year, as the evening was the first anniversary of the new presidency. Refreshments were served by the ladies and a delightful musical program rendered. The Pyper, Whitney, Patrick and Spencer quartet sang several numbers. H. S. Ensign and Geo. D. P. rendered solos. Prof. C. D. Schettler and his pupil Miss Coggie, rendered selections. Miss Ethel Rogers gave a humorous reading, and Mrs. Margaret Cairne Patrick sang the new song by F. Dewey Richards, "The Guiding Star."

AFFLICTED WITH RHEUMATISM.
"I was and am yet afflicted with rheumatism," says Mr. J. C. Byrne, editor of the Herald, Adjoining Indian Territory. "But thanks to Chamberlain's Pain Balm I am able once more to attend to business. It is the best of liniments." If troubled with rheumatism give Pain Balm a trial and you are certain to be more than satisfied with the prompt relief which it affords. One application relieves the pain. For Sale by all druggists.

MUSIC BOOK JUST OUT.

Sunday School Work of Value by Prof. H. E. Giles.

The Sunday School Music Album is the title of a little book just issued by Prof. H. E. Giles, which is on sale at the Deseret Sunday School Union and the Deseret News Book store. The book contains 24 selections, being a collection of hymns, hymns and church songs, suitable for Sunday schools and church services. The book is neatly gotten up from the presses of the Deseret News, and will be bound to supply a long felt want to Sunday school organizers, who have needed a carefully revised collection for entrance, dismissal and sacrament purposes.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

The largest affair of yesterday was the ball given by the High school athletic association at the museum building of the U. of U., about 400 people being present. The hall was decorated in the red and black, and all details successfully carried out. The chaperons were Miss Mamie Moffett, Miss Dukes, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kingsbury, D. A. Callahan, George A. Eaton, Mrs. J. J. Roberts and Mrs. E. B. Critchlow.

Mrs. H. H. Cornforth gave a dinner on Thursday in honor of the eighty-first birthday anniversary of her mother, Mrs. Wheelock. A program of music and recitations was enjoyed and many gifts presented. The guest of honor, among them a profusion of flowers sent from California by her granddaughter, Miss Mabel Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Jennings entertain at dinner tomorrow night.

Miss Lorene Brown celebrated her birthday anniversary in an impromptu but pleasant way on Friday night, a number of her friends gathering unexpectedly at her home in honor of the day and spending an enjoyable evening. The time was passed with music and games, and refreshments were served.

Mrs. Robert G. Smith entertained at a pretty luncheon yesterday in honor of Mrs. Jack Jevins, the table being decorated in pink and white tulips and covers laid for eight.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Hills returned today from California.

Mrs. J. E. Cairne entertained at a de-

MENTAL POWER INCREASES

when
Grape-Nuts
Is the daily food.
"There's a Reason."

MORE HIGH SCHOOLS.

Prof. Lyman Brings Word That Morgan is to Have One.

The campaign for more high schools in Utah, which has resulted in the erection of 15, within the past few years, has now been carried into Morgan county, and it is probable that a new high school will be the next big issue in the county. Prof. Richard Lyman of the University of Utah returned today from Morgan, where he has been in attendance at the county teachers' convention, and he states that interest there in a high school is marked.

County Superintendent Milton Croft is pushing the proposition with vigor, he says, and intends to invite State Superintendent Nelson to visit the county and go through it with him, creating sentiment in favor of the move. At present the greatest obstacle is the fact that the county is divided into a number of school districts, instead of being organized in one big district. The change in organization is the most necessary thing at present, as it proved to be in Salt Lake, Weber, and Cache counties, prior to the erection of high schools.

H. B. Fry, principal of the Morgan city schools, is now conducting a ninth grade at the central school, in anticipation of the establishment of a high school. He, too, is working for the proposition, and promises to do what he can to put it through. Prof. Lyman spoke on the subject at the teachers' convention.

CARD OF THANKS.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the many friends that so kindly assisted and sympathized with me in the recent sickness and death of my wife.
MR. ALBERT HEAPS.

Special \$4.00 Bissell Carpet Sweepers for \$2.50 at the I. X. L. Removal Sale.

lightful afternoon affair on Thursday, about 30 guests being present.

The marriage of Miss Jennie B. Rohn and Mr. John A. Campbell took place in the Salt Lake Temple on Thursday at 1 o'clock. President John R. Winder officiating. The bride left on the afternoon train for Los Angeles. Upon their return they will make their home in Ogden.

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WARD ENTERTAINMENTS.

Twentieth Ward.—The three act comedy drama entitled "Diamonds and Hearts," will be given in the Twentieth ward hall on Monday next, by the Twentieth ward juniors. There will be two performances, matinee and evening. The afternoon performance will begin at 4 o'clock. The curtain will go up for the evening performance at 8:15. The presentation of this play will be for the ward fund.

Fifth Ward.—The last of the series of popular entertainments given in the Fifth ward amusement hall, was held last night, with an attendance of 200 people and was a very pleasing success. Prizes were given for the best sustained characters.

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ARE ABUSED AND MISUNDERSTOOD.

The Fate of the "Mormon" People, Says John P. Meakin.

LECTURED IN PROVIDENCE.

Misrepresentation and Calumny the Weapons Used Against Them—Told Easterners Some Plain Truths.

The Evening Bulletin of Providence, R. I., of Monday, March 12, published the following:

John Meakin, a resident of the state of Utah and of Salt Lake City, delivered a lecture last evening in Arcadium hall on Weybosset street, on "Utah and the Mormons." Probably feeling that a statement as to his religious belief was expected from him, Mr. Meakin announced at the outset that he is not a member of the "Mormon" Church, but rather a "fraternalist, in the truest sense." This meant, he explained, that he loved his fellow man, believed in allowing him to follow any religious creed he chose, and also felt it his province to defend that same fellow man when others began to abuse him. Abuse, misrepresentation and calumny, said Mr. Meakin, had been the lot of the "Mormons," and he, for one, considered it time for someone to go about in their defense, explaining to the people that the abused sect was comprised of a people sober, steady, industrious, loving, etc., instead of encouragers of licentiousness and of all the other vices of which they had been accused.

Realizing that to most people "Mormonism" and polygamy are all but synonymous, Mr. Meakin devoted considerable time and a great deal of vigor to "putting the Latter-day Saints on a proper footing" in this regard. Less than 1 per cent of the "Mormon" people, he said, had ever been induced to accept the responsibilities attendant upon marrying more than one wife. Few people realized, he went on, how great was the extent of these responsibilities. The "Mormon" faith compelled every man who made plural marriages to care for each wife and provide her with a comfortable home, as well as to look after her in the same solicitous manner as did the ordinary individual who contented himself with one wife. Consequently, said the lecturer, polygamy carried with it a care and responsibility that few men would care to accept.

Besides this, when Utah was admitted to the sisterhood of states, a condition was imposed and accepted to the effect that plural marriages be thereby forbidden by church and state. This agreement having been made, it had never been broken, said Mr. Meakin, except by persons who would break any laws anywhere, and such were to be found as much in one sect as in another. About every man hung for murder, affirmed the speaker, was a member of some church, and if he was not when he committed the deed, he became one before the death penalty was carried out. Instead of being a fundamental principle of the "Mormon" doctrine, polygamy was only a side issue, anyway, explained Mr. Meakin, and never had been demanded of the Latter-day Saints.

After explaining thus lucidly that polygamy, the most obnoxious part of the "Mormon" faith, had practically been done away with, and for that matter had never existed to anything like the extent believed by some people outside the fold, Mr. Meakin proceeded to a vigorous defense of the same.

It was, he said, one of the essentials of Old Testament theology. Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, idealized today from the pulpit as Christians in the highest sense, were polygamists, and as for Solomon—why, Solomon had enough wives to start a city with. He had 300 wives and 700 others in his establishment, which proved, according to Mr. Meakin's deduction, one thing, namely, that Solomon was either an old fool or

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TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

The Kentucky legislature adjourned sine die without electing a United States senator.

James Devine was reinstated as chief of the Salt Lake fire department, following a 14-days' suspension without pay.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.

Ex-President Benjamin Harrison was buried in Crown Point Hill cemetery, at Indianapolis, Ind.

Mrs. Carrie Coburn of New York was killed by her pet dog. The woman fell in an epileptic fit, and the animal, becoming suddenly frenzied, flew at her throat and before he could be pulled away he had severed his mistress' jugular vein.

he wasn't. Instead of being an encouragement for licentiousness, the speaker said the "Mormon" faith embodied the highest, sweetest and most sublime of thoughts and ideals. "As for licentiousness," he observed, "look at your cities; my God, look at your cities!" Mr. Meakin stopped for several moments to enable the audience to go out and look at the city, after which he grew even more emphatic.

"When you talk of 'Mormonism' being a menace to the government and to the body politic it is an insult, low and contemptible, and we—that is, I, do not propose to stand it. Think of the valor, the beautiful qualities, shown by that little band who went out into that desert and built up a city and a civilization where all was stark and barren, shunned of man. See what they have done, the beautiful cities they have built and the splendid conditions they have wrought, and then be ashamed to talk of them as a menace to the nation."

Mr. Meakin gave a detailed story of the "Mormon" history from its inception to the present time, and he made several statements in regard to their religion, beliefs and disbeliefs, which he said he had personally from the High Prophet Brigham Young. Mr. Meakin has lectured on this and other subjects for a number of years all over the country, and he is said to be backed in so doing by the State of Utah. The lecture last evening was free and there were about 100 people in attendance.

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Bucking the Insurance Trust.

There is now in the State of Washington an organization of fifteen thousand property owners whose members are not worrying over the rates made by the insurance combine. A member of the organization deposits his premium and then these profits are distributed in dividends in proportion to the premiums paid on various classes of property. On some classes of property the members are receiving as high as 40 per cent dividend. Besides the handsome profits distributed in these dividends, they have accumulated cash assets equal to all the losses sustained during the past five years. They are now offering to extend their services to Utah property owners and already many of the most prominent citizens of Salt Lake City have identified themselves with the movement. The corporate name of the organization is the Northwestern Mutual Fire Association and Mr. H. Hewitt is looking after the interest of their members in this city.

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